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photography. [redacted] photography taken from [redacted] covered the major military installations in the Quemoy area with the exception of those in the Lien-Ho area (2775).

Changes noted during the period covered by this report indicate a continued effort to establish gun batteries on various mainland positions surrounding Quemoy. Eight medium AA guns have been removed from Amoy City. Remaining changes noted appear to reflect a normal local shifting of gun batteries in the area under study.

It should be noted that anti-aircraft guns identified in previous reports as heavy AA (85 mm) are now listed as medium AA (85mm) and those listed as medium AA (37mm) are now listed as light AA (37mm).

SUMMARY OF WEAPON POSITIONS IN THE QUEMOY AREA

Occupied positions	Previous Rpt	Supplement # 1	New Rpt
Artillery .....	72	100	116
Medium AA .....	16	20	16
Light AA .....	<del>98</del>	<del>120</del>	<del>118</del>
Total	186	230	250

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Unoccupied positions (Approximate figures)

Artillery .....	440	444	460
Anti-aircraft .....	80	96	100
Total	520	540	560

SUMMARY OF WEAPON POSITIONS ON HSIA-MEN (AMOY ISLAND)

Occupied positions

Artillery .....	36	48	52
Medium AA .....	12	16	12
Light AA .....	50	58	62
Total	98	122	126

Unoccupied positions (Approximate figures)

Artillery.....	292	292	300
Anti-aircraft .....	60	64	72
Total	352	356	372

CHANGES SINCE PREVIOUS REPORT.

Two new medium AA batteries of four guns each were noted in Amoy City in Supplement No. 1 as against one battery of four guns in the original report. The two new batteries have been removed and the original battery of four guns are still present in the same location.

Eight artillery pieces have been removed from the Ho - Ts'o to Tien - Li area (From 1063-1068). The new location of these guns is unknown.

Two artillery batteries of four guns each are located at 070652 on Amoy Island. These guns were not noted previously in this area due to the lack of recent photo coverage. Twenty empty artillery positions and four empty anti-aircraft positions are in the same area indicating a permanent site for the two artillery batteries .

Two light AA batteries of four guns each have been removed from

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the Lu-Ts'ao area (From 0262-0458) on Amoy Island. The new location of these guns is unknown.

Sixteen artillery pieces have been identified on Ta-Teng Island representing an increase of four guns over the previous report.

A new four gun artillery battery and a four gun light AA battery have been located on the headland at 035365 which is approximately eleven miles south of Amoy Island. These positions are served by a coastal road completed early this year. Construction of bunkers and shelters is continuing in this area.

A probable four gun weapon position has been located on the sand spit located at 381800 opposite Shih-Ching. The positions are tentatively identified as artillery positions.

An artillery battery of four guns is probably being established just north of Lu Hsu at 050445. Photo coverage has not been suitable for positive identification.

Repair work is continuing on the causeway. The causeway has not been surfaced. Traffic is restricted to one lane in the vicinity of the repair work.

A probable fuel drum storage area, 450' x 350', is located at 974585 in Amoy City. This area is near the water front and in an area of large civilian type warehouses. The objects are in rows and measure two to two and one half feet in diameter. The objects appear round.

Supplies are stored in the open in an area approximately 1000' x 500' along the dock area at 978602 in Amoy City. This appears to be a loading point for small vessels servicing the Amoy area.

A 400' dry-dock is located at 964601. The gate has been opened and two 70' boats are in the dry dock.

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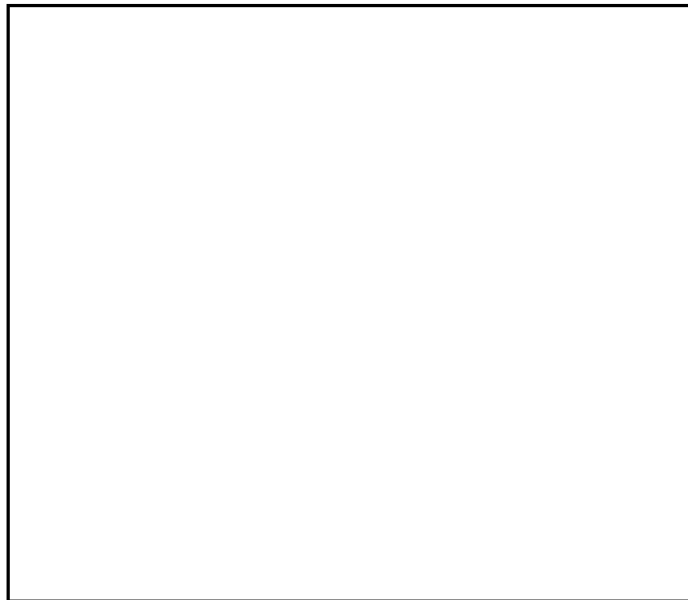


A 150° dry dock occupied by a 120° boat is located at 975581 in Amoy City.

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